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- Marshall-



Oh my dear Marshall how I will miss you so! You've touched me in a way that no other has or will. You've touched every one that knew you. Everyone has a good memory of you. Marshall, you will be deeply missed. I thank you for the best four years of my life. I thank you for our beautiful son. I thank you for your brotherhood, friendship and most of all, your love. Oh Marshall, I love you. I love you. I will be strong and serve God just like you told me and I will work so hard because I will see you in paradise. (Luke 23:43) Until then you will always be in my heart and in all the people that love you.

Your Fiancè,
Michelle

- Acknowledgment -

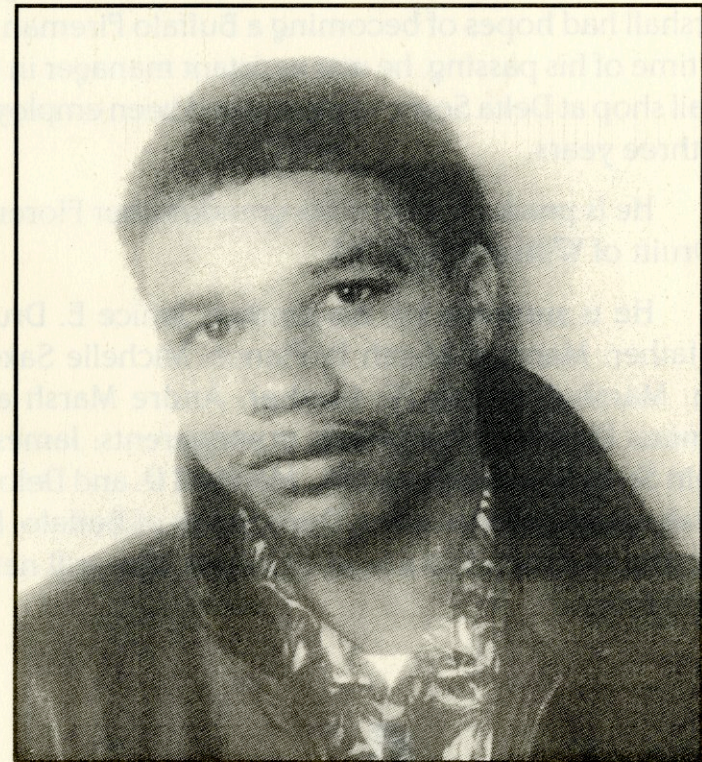
The family of the late Marshall Roy Marsh III wish to express their heartfelt thanks and appreciation to everyone, for the many acts of kindness. Our spirits have been uplifted.

In Loving Memory
of

Marshall R. Marsh III

Sunrise
March 23, 1977

Sunset
September 2, 2000



Wednesday, September 6, 2000

Wake: 10:00 a.m.

Funeral: 11:00 a.m.

BRIAN K. LEWIS FUNERAL HOMES

2528 Bailey Avenue
Buffalo, NY 14215

- Obituary -

Marshall R. Marsh III was born in Buffalo, NY on March 23, 1977. Marshall entered into "Eternal Life" suddenly on September 2, 2000 in Buffalo, NY.

Marshall was a graduate of Seneca Vocational High School where he studied CAD/CAM Robotics. He then went on to attend ITT Institute of Technologies. Marshall had hopes of becoming a Buffalo Fireman. At the time of his passing, he was assistant manager in the detail shop at Delta Sonic where he had been employed for three years.

He is predeceased by his grandmother Florence L. Druitt of Williamsburg, VA.

He is survived by: his mother: Janice E. Druitt; his father: Marshall Marsh II; Fiancè: Michelle Saxon; Son: Marshall Marsh IV; brother: Andre Marsh and Demitus Davis of New Jersey; grandparents: James E. Druitt Sr. of Williamsburg, VA., Marshall R. and Delores Marsh; great-grandmother: Doris Smith of Buffalo, NY. Relative and friend to a host of others who will never forget him.



- Order of Service -

Prelude

Invocation

Scripture

Old Testament

New Testament

Prayer

Selection

Obituary & Remarks of Love

Selection

Eulogy Rev. James A. Lewis III

Recessional



- We Entrusted Our Loved One To -

BRIAN K. LEWIS FUNERAL HOME

347 Peckham Street

Buffalo, NY 14206

Tamara McAlpin

Element Bearers

Nicole McAlpin

Roger Strother
Herman Wilson
Taylor Mullen

Pall Bearers

Robert Johnson
James Ward
Wayne Blassingame

Honorary Pall Bearers
ECW

Roosevelt Samuel
Willard Morris

Roy Dixon
Wilfred Epps

Internment
Forest Lawn Cemetery

Funeral Home
Memorial Chapels
of Buffalo

St. Philip's Episcopal Church
18 Sussex St.
Buffalo, New York 14215
Rev. Dr. D. Antonio Martin
Rector

Organist
Hortense Nash

*I Can Do All Things Through Christ Who
Strengthens Me* *Phillipians 4:13*



Willie Mae McAlpin (Greene)

November 6, 1922 - June 6, 2000

OBITUARY

Willie Mae McAlpin (Greene), was born November 6, 1922 in Bessemer, Alabama. She was the eighth of ten children. Willie Mae departed this life on Tuesday, June 6, 2000.

Willie Mae moved to Wheelwright, Kentucky during her early years of school. There she finished her school years at Floyd High School. Willie Mae came to Buffalo, New York in 1941 where she met and soon married William H. McAlpin on March 23, 1946.

Willie Mae (Willa) became a licensed Beautician and Cosmetologist after completing training at the Lillian Dora School of Beauty Culture in 1958. She also completed training with the Visiting Nurses, and began working at the Rosa Copeland Nursing Home until 1967. Willie Mae then entered the Buffalo Public School System as a Teacher's Assistant. There she shared in the education of many children. She was a dedicated and hard worker at schools #74, #17, and #54 until she retired in 1985.

Willie Mae confessed her belief in the Lord at an early age. She served for a while at Zion Methodist Church in Lackawanna until marrying William. Willie Mae became a member of St. Philip's Episcopal Church and was confirmed in February, 1947. Willie Mae diligently served the Lord as a dedicated member of the Altar Guild and Adult Choir. She also loved working with the Episcopal Church Women, where she was past-president. Another opportunity to serve was in setting up the church Food Pantry. Willie Mae (Willa) was honored in 1988 by the Mens' Club, for 41 years of service to St. Philip's Episcopal Church.

Besides being a loving mother and wife, Willie Mae was an excellent cook. She had also recently begun attending Quilting Club meetings.

Willie Mae leaves to cherish her memory, her husband of 54 years, William H. McAlpin, one Daughter, Debora! McAlpin Dulin, of Atlanta, GA. One son, Frederick W. McAlpin, of Longview, TX, one sister, Mrs. Minnie Robinson, of Gaithersburg, MD. Three grandchildren, Tamara Angela McAlpin, Nicole Renee McAlpin, and Frederick McAlpin Jr., nine nieces, eight nephews and a host of grand nieces nephews and friends.

We'll miss you Willie Mae, but we know that your spirit will forever live on among us.

Flowers greatly declined. Donations can be sent to St. Philip's Memorial Fund, 15 Fernhill Ave., Buffalo, NY 14215.

ORDER OF SERVICE

The Burial of the Dead: Rite Two, Book of Common Prayer

Organ Prelude: Mrs. Hortense Nash, Organist & Music Director
Procession, with Opening Sentences, pp. **466** f (*Standing*)
Purpose of Gathering: The Celebrant (*Standing*)
Opening Hymn: LEV **111** – Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing
Collect: At the Burial of an Adult, BCP pp. **393** f (*Standing*)
First Reading: Isaiah **61:1-3** (*Seated*)-Mrs. Barbara Jackson
Psalm 23 – King James Version, BCP pp **476** f (*Seated*) Mrs. Vanita Stone
Second Reading: **Revelation 7:9-17** (*Seated*)
Remarks: ECW Representative
Amazing Grace: Senior Choir
Holy Gospel: **John 14:1-6** (*Standing*)
Solo: Precious Lord- Theresa White
Sermon: The Rev. Dr. D. Antonio Martin, Rector
Selection: Lead Me Guide Me- Adult Choir
Apostles Creed, BCP p. **496** (*Standing*)
Petitions, BCP pp. **497** f (*Standing*)
Holy Communion pp. **361** ff.
Communion Hymn: Hymnal # Let Us Break Bread Together
Commendations: BCP pp **498** f (*Standing*)
Recessional Hymn: LEV **12** – Marching To Zion (*Standing*)
(*During which the Casket is taken from the Church behind the Celebrant.*)

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words, as any friend could say.
Perhaps you were not there at all, just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts, we thank you dearly whatever your part.

-The Family-

Special Thanks to: Father Matin, The Altar Guild, The Adult Choir, ECW, The Mens' Club, Eunice Lewin, Barbara Lewis, Sallye Price.

MOTHER

YOU GAVE US BREATH AND BROUGHT US
LIFE.

NUTURED US AND ENDURED OUR STRIFE
YOU WIPED OUR NOSE, SOOTHED OUR PAIN
SHARED OUR TEARS AND NEVER
COMPLAINED

AND THROUGH IT ALL
NO MATTER THE FIGHT
YOU PROTECTED US WHETHER WRONG OR
RIGHT

MOTHER, YOU WERE THE PILLAR OF
OUR LIVES, REST IN PEACE
WE LOVE YOU, YOU LOVED US
UNTILL WE MEET AGAIN.

YOUR CHILDREN

Acknowledgements

The family wishes to express their sincere
appreciation for every act of kindness extended
to them during their bereavement. May God

In Loving Memory of



Our

Mother

Marie Mc Cray

February 24, 1920 February 20, 1995

Friday February 24, 1995

Wake 10:0'Clock A.M. 11: 0' Clock A.M.
Service 11: 0'Clock A.M. 12: 0' Clock Noon

Thomas T. Edwards Funeral Home, Inc
995 Genesee Street
Buffalo, New York 14211

Reverend Arthur Boyd Officiating

Obituary

Marie McCray was born on February 24, 1920 in Camden, S. C. She was the daughter of the late Robert and Iola Watts. She attended Buffalo Public School and graduated from Huchinson Central High School.

Marie was united in holy matrimony to the late Dave McCray in 1939. From this union were born four children; Gloria E. Garrison, Ronato and Riccardo McCray and the late Shirley Goss.

She accepted Christ before she departed this life quietly on February 20, 1995, at the age of 74, in the Buffalo General Hospital.

She leaves to mourn and cherish her memory a daughter Gloria Garrison, two sons; Ronato and Riccardo McCray, 12 grandchildren; Dorothy, Tyrone, Iola, David Karen, Shirley, Andrea, Keith, Kisha, Latoya, Andre, and Riccardo M.; 24 great-grandchildren. one sister; Mrs. Willean Minney, one brother; Mr. Martique Watts, and a host of nieces, nephews, and friends.

Order of Service



Processional.....Ms. Loretta Scott

Invocation Prayer..... Rev. Arthur Boyd

*Scripture.....23rd Psalms
by Gloria Hatch*

Prayer of Comfort.....Rev. Arthur Boyd

Solo.....Ms. Loretta Scott

*Obituary & Acknowledgements.....
Ms. Ernestine Crawford*

Solo.....Ms. Loretta Scott

*Remarks.....Reverend Robert Stanley
Family & Friends*

Hymn of Praise.....Kum Ba Yah

Eulogy.....Pastor Heshimu J.D. Sparks

Recessional

Active Pallbearers

Rodney Richardson	Maurice Richardson
Ivorite Echols	Kenneth Echols
Elijah Echols	Lavelle Washington

Flower Attendants

Deaconess Board
First Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church

Interment

Forest Lawn Cemetery

Auspices

H. Alfred Lewis Mortuary, Inc.
968 Jefferson Avenue
Buffalo, New York 14204

Acknowledgement

The family of Charlotte M. McNeal gratefully acknowledge and deeply appreciate the divine love you have shown in seeing us through a most difficult time. May God bless each of you.

*A Celebration
In Loving Memory
of
Charlotte Madie McNeal
1922 - 1997*



**THURSDAY, APRIL 17, 1997
11:00 A.M.**

**First Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church
15 Pine Street, Buffalo, New York 14204**

*Leslie D. Braxton, Pastor
D.Min., M.Div., B.A.*

Obituary



Charlotte Madie McNeal was born on March 8, 1922 in Buffalo, New York to the late Ninde and Madie (Montgomery) Davis. Charlotte was the oldest of three daughters.

Charlotte spent all of her life in Buffalo, New York and attended public schools 31, 17 and Fosdick Masten.

Charlotte began attending the First Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church as an infant. It is here that she accepted Christ as her personal Savior and was baptized at the age of twelve. As a youth, she sang in the choir and taught Sunday school to the nursery children. She was also very active in the Young Missionary Women and the Baptist Young People's Training Union (B.Y.P.U.)

During Charlotte's young adulthood, she continued to serve in the church as a Sunday school teacher and it became very apparent that she had a genuine love for children. It was out of this love that Charlotte felt the need for a church nursery department. That love would also reveal itself in her future. Charlotte continued her education and received her degree in elementary education from Buffalo State Teachers College. It was at this time that her love for children manifested itself and she became a kindergarten teacher ... a career that would span thirty years.

During this time, Charlotte met Henry A. McNeal who became her lifelong companion. They were united in marriage on February 17, 1943 and shared a beautiful life together for fifty-four years. Henry describes their marriage as a "beautiful relationship ... friends and lovers ... and wonderful companions." To their union two children were born: Trevor and Meryl. She was a devoted and loving mother.

Charlotte's life was one lived in service to others. When she was not teaching in the classroom, she was serving her church by teaching in the Sunday school. Meryl remembers her mother's love for children and her concern for their education both secular and religious.

Charlotte's service was not limited to teaching for she was committed to missionary work and served on the Home Mission and Foreign Mission boards of the church. She was also a deaconess and an active member of the Sunshine Benevolent Circle. In 1990 her church recognized her as a fifty-year member, and in 1993 she received the Lifetime Achievers Award on the occasion of the church's 77th anniversary.

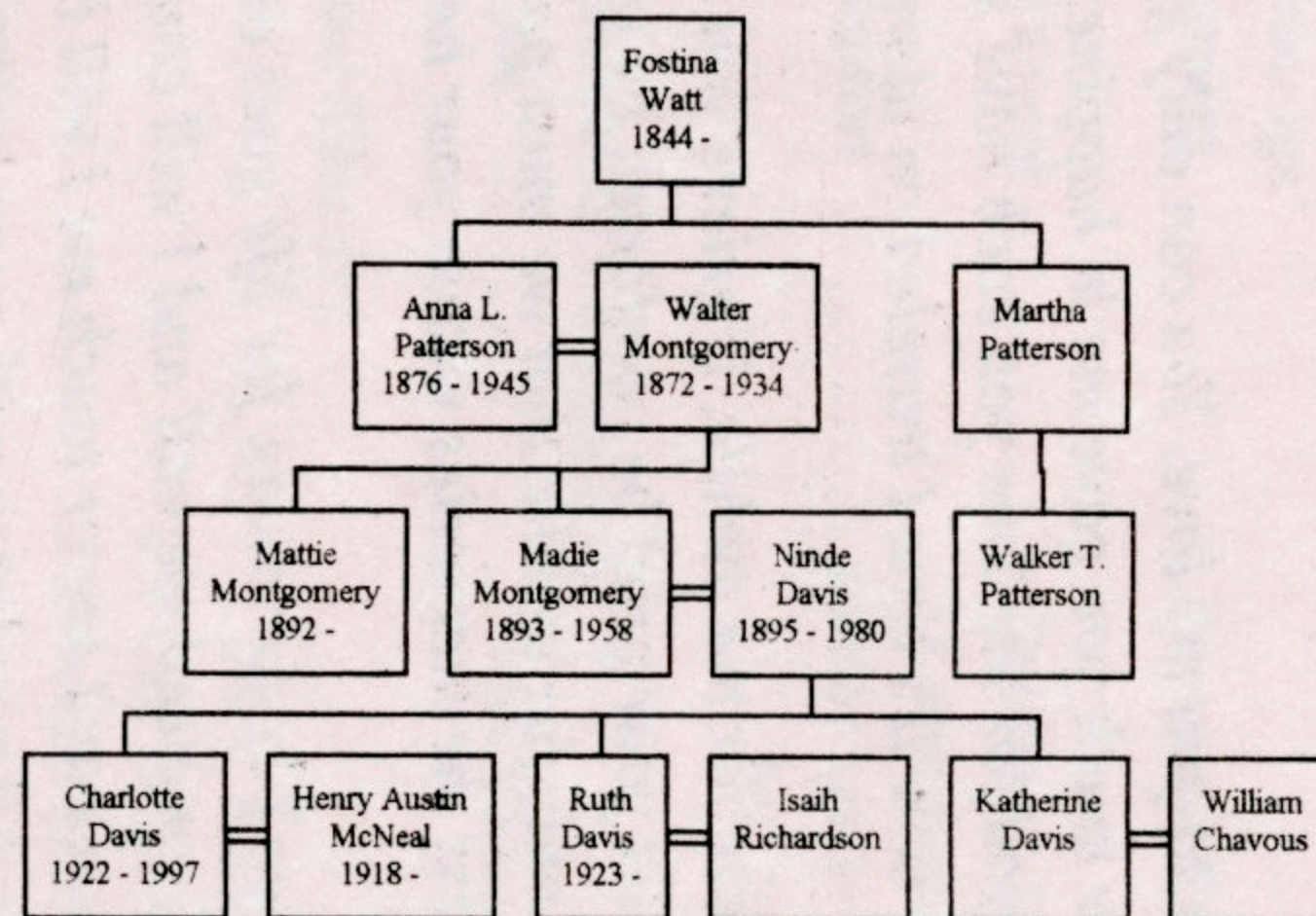
Her commitment went beyond her local church and she was very active with the Church Women United Organization, the Wells Springs Group, and the American Baptist Women's Organization.

Mrs. McNeal was the founder of the Buffalo Club of the National Association of Negro Business and Professional Women's Club, Inc. She was a member of the Black Educators Association, from which she received the "Educator of the Year Award" in 1973, and lifetime member of the NAACP.

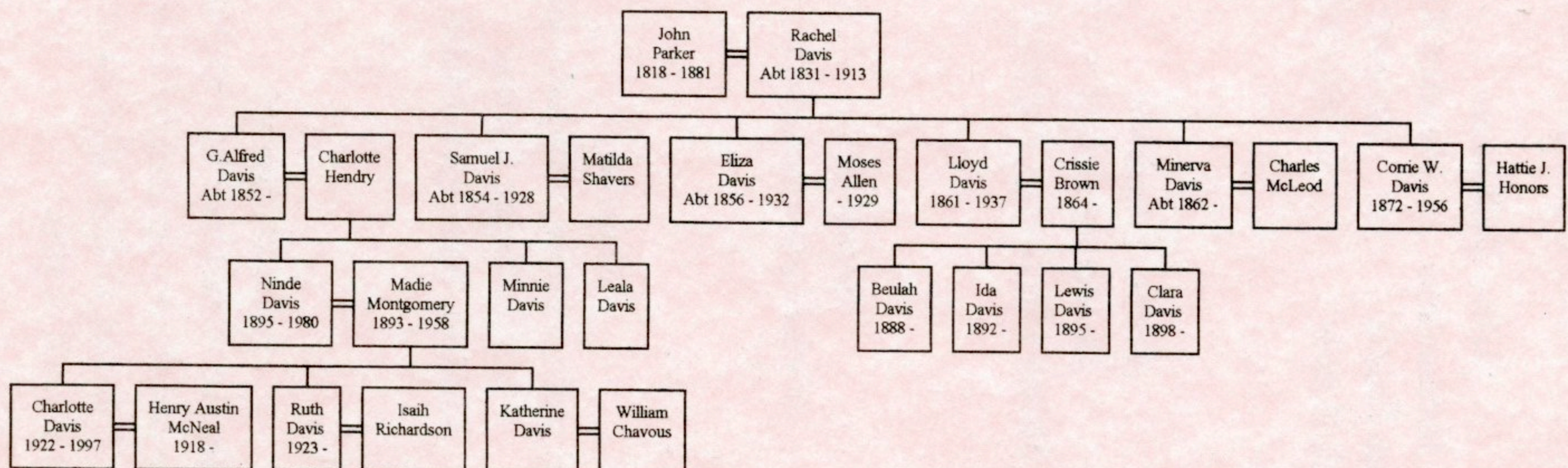
In 1980, Charlotte retired from the Buffalo Board of Education. During her retirement years, she fulfilled her dream to travel around the world. She enjoyed gardening and loved taking pictures. One of her goals was to build a family tree. Trevor said "she had a passion to establish her family history", and she spent many hours researching and visiting various cities. Trevor and Meryl said she also had a passion for the Shiloh Pantry, on which she spent a great deal of her time. Henry and Charlotte shared many happy times during this period.

Charlotte fulfilled God's plan for her life and leaves to mourn her passing, her loving husband: Henry; her son: Trevor (Dawn); her daughter: Meryl (Decatur, Georgia); two sisters: Ruth Richardson (Isaiah) and Kathryn Chavous (William); four loving grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins, church family and friends. All will sorely miss her presence.

Descendants of Fostina Watt



Descendants of John Parker



MOTHER

*Mothers are like the flowers
that bloom so sweet in the spring,
Mothers are like the sunshine and
like songs the bluebirds sing,
Mothers are like the jewels that
shine "gainst a velvet display,
Mothers are like the angels that
watch over their own each day!*

*"And now abideth faith, hope, charity
these three; but the greatest of these is
charity." 1Corinthians 13:13*

We love you,
Your Children

PALLBEARERS

DEA. J. BILLY VINSON, SR	BRO. TOMMY GREEN
BRO. MILTON THOMAS	BRO. THOMAS W. VINSON
BRO. J. BILLY VINSON, JR.	BRO. ISRAEL WASHINGTON

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The family wishes to express their sincere thanks
for all your prayers, calls, kindness during our
time of sorrow.

IN LOVING MEMORY
OF

MOTHER DORIS STENHOUSE MINER

APRIL 2, 1919 - MARCH 22, 1997



WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26,, 1997
WAKE 11:00 a.m. - FUNERAL 12:00 noon

MACEDONIA BAPTIST CHURCH
237 EAST STREET
BUFFALO, NEW YORK 14204

REV. HERMAN ALSTON, JR., PASTOR/OFFICIATING

OBITUARY

Mother Doris Stenhouse Miner, daughter of the late Edgar and Carrie Pearson Stenhouse, was born on April 2, 1919 in Greenville, South Carolina.

She received her early religious training in Greenville, South Carolina. She moved to Buffalo, New York in 1933, became a member of Pleasant Grove Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. J. H. McDavis.

In 1939 she was united in marriage to the late Bro. Arvel Miner, Sr., of this union five children were born, twins (a boy & a girl), deceased, Arvel, Jr., Eugenia, and Shirley.

Mother Miner joined Macedonia Baptist Church in 1940 under the leadership of the late Rev. A. A. Merriweather. She was a very faithful, devoted member where she served on the Nurse's Guild of which with the help of the late Dea. Fred Moore she helped to organized in 1955; Choir #1, Mother's Board until her health failed her. She was the third oldest active member with fifty-four years of good standing.

She was employed at Mt. Mercy Hospital, worked in her brother's restaurant, elevator operator at the Sheraton Hotel, in 1996 she was employed at University of Buffalo Food Service Unit, this was an accomplishment; for Mother Miner was the first black to work in Goodyear Hall, where she retired in 1981.

In the quiet of the afternoon of Saturday, March 22, 1997 about 4:30 pm the sweet spirit of Mother Doris Stenhouse Miner went to join the Saviour in that home not built with hands, but whose maker and builder is God.

She leaves to cherish her memory, daughters Shirley Ann Vinson, Eugenia Poole; and son Arvel Miner, Jr; sisters, Willie L. Moore, Eugenia Docket and Evelyn Stenhouse; brothers, John Boyce, Edward J. (Thelma) Stenhouse, Thomas H. (Genevieve) Stenhouse; grandchildren, Alison Poole of Buffalo, N.Y., Melvin J. Poole, Jr. of Huntsville, Ala., Earl (Iris) Vinson, Jr., of Schenectady, N.Y., Anthony Vinson, of Buffalo, N. Y. and Michael Vinson of Saginaw, MI., Arvel Miner, 111 of Richmond, Va., Tammi Miner of Oakland, Calif., Tara Miner of Detroit, MI, Arveleece Miner of Buffalo, N. Y.; greatgrand children, Earl and Entrasae Vinson, of Schenectady, N. Y., Shirley Rameriz of Rochester, N. Y., Jessica, Jonathon and Ralynn of Detroit, Michigan, uncles, Horace (Louise) Pearson of Buffalo, N. Y. and Rev. Norman (Rosa) Pearson of Greenville, S. C.; sister-in-law, Deconess Hilda (Aubrey) Cummings of Buffalo, N. Y., host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Work and pray, 'til Jesus comes for us,
Let us help to gather in the grain,
Then with joy we will meet our loved ones,
When the Lord shall come again.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Musical Prelude

Selection Macedonia Choir

Scripture Psalm 23 O. T.
1Thessalonians 4:14-18 N.T.

Prayer

Selection Choir "The Lord Is My Light"

Remarks Pastor Dedrick Blue
Emmanuel Temple Seventh Day
Adventist Church
Rev. J. L. Fisher
Pleasant Grove Baptist Church

Solo Elder Colin Rhodes
"Peace In The Valley"

Resolution Sis. Patricia Harper

Acknowledgments
Obituary Deaconess Rachel Vinson

Solo Bro. Thomas W. Vinson
"His Eye Is On The Sparrow"

Eulogy Rev. Herman Alston, Jr.

Recessional

INTERMENT
Forest Lawn Cemetery

AUSPICES
EXODUS FUNERAL HOME
605 Masten Avenue
BUFFALO, NEW YORK 14209

PALLBEARERS

Warren L. Mostiller, Jr.
Harlan Q. Mostiller
Mark S. Mostiller
Michael A. Williams
Conroy V. Mostiller
Keith Littlejohn

HONORARY PALLBEARER

Michael Neals
Frank Clark IV
Vernon Mostiller
Douglas Turnage

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

With sincere appreciation, we wish to thank our many friends for their expressions of kindness during our bereavement. May god bless each of you.

The Family

Mass of Christian Burial
Coronation Blessed Virgin
Mary Roman Catholic Church
348 Dewitt Street
Buffalo, New York 14213

Internment

Forest Lawn Cemetery
Buffalo, NY

AUSPICES

H. Alfred Lewis Mortuary, Incorporated

Homegoing Ceremony for

Marie A. Mostiller

1938 - 2001

"Stay Sweet"



*"Greater are those who serve
others in the name of Jesus"*
Thursday, February 15, 2001
11:00 AM

Obituary

Daughter of the late Kathryn Bevill and Charles L. Taylor, Marie attended public school, transferred to and graduated from Saint Mary's Parochial School and received a degree in Business from Saint Mary's Business School.

In December 1958, Marie married Warren Mostiller and from this union four children were born: Adrienne Celestine (Michael), Warren Landon, Harlan Quintin (Deidre) and Mark Shawn.

Active in many organizations including Seat of Wisdom Prayer Group, Holy Angels Prayer Group, Mostiller Family Affair Club, Westside Community Voice, Prayer Ministry and Tops. Marie did not only talk about her religion and beliefs, she lived them daily. Her life was the epitome of her beliefs, as any family member or friend will attest. A loving, caring person, her door was always open to anyone in need. Members of Nativity R. C. Church for many years the family moved their membership to Coronation Blessed Virgin Church when they relocated to the area.

In addition to her four children, Marie also leaves to mourn her passing, husband Warren, six brothers, Hilton (Pat), Israel (late Lois), Melvin (Carlise), Charles (Emma), James (Hope) and Joseph (Deborah); six grandchildren, Danielle, Mark Jr., Mario Valentine, Amani Marie, Warren III, and Harlan Jr.; one great-grandchild, Marcael; and a host of relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Processional.....	Song Selection "Ave Maria"
Placing of the Pall	
Reading: Psalm 23.....	Tina Houston McCrea
Solo	Song Selection
Reading I	Wisdom 8: 1 - 9
Solo.....	Song Selection
Reading II	Revelation 21: 1 - 7
Alleluia Verse	
Gospel.....	Reverend Eugene Radon
Homily.....	Reverend Donald Blessuk
Prayer of Faithful	
Offertory	
Solo.....	Song Selection
Lord's Prayer (<i>Hold hands</i>)	Tom Giangreco
	Adrienne Mostiller
Lamb of God	
Communion.....	Louis Militello, Tom Giangreco, Ralph Steszewski
Solo.....	Song Selection
Eulogy.....Reverend Melvin L. Taylor, Jr.
Obituary.....	Nina Littlejohn
Words of Expression.....	Family and Friends
Recessional.....	"Til We Meet Again"
	Chris Putnam

NEVER SAY GOODBYE

The old saying is Never Say Goodbye. Let's just say so long for now. Let us thank God for a wonderful union. It was always a pleasure being with all the family and friends from near and far. As family and friends get ready for my return home, I hope you all share a special love enough to last til we meet again.

You know that "God is Love" so I would like to leave you the tools to accomplish the task to grow in God's home.

G - Go to God in prayer daily.

R - Read God's word daily

O - Obey God moment by moment

W - Witness for Christ by your life and words

T - Trust God for every detail of your life

H - Holy Spirit, allow God to control and empower your daily life

Lot's of Love Always,

Marie Antoinette Mostiller

I AM NOT THERE

Do not stand at my grave and weep;

I am not there, I do not sleep.

I am a thousand winds that blow,

I am the diamond glints on snow.

I am the sunlight on ripened grain,

I am the gentle autumns rain.

When you awaken in the mornings hush,

I am the swift uplifting rush

Of quiet birds in flight,

I am the soft stars that shine at night.

Do not stand at my grave and cry

I am not there

I did not die.

My Dearest Mommy, My Love, Best Friend.....

Words can't explain the feeling.....

I miss you so much!

I know you're with me now and always, til we meet.

It just hurts so bad.

Ma, I really love you and I thank God as always for you making me the strong independent woman I am today.

Ma, my heart is bleeding.....

I thank you for making me that "Big Rising Star in Your Eyes" dancing, modeling, singing. You were the greatest backstage mother. We had wonderful times and a lot of laughs. I'll never forget. It will always be treasured in my heart. I can just go on forever, you know that.

Mommy I Love You

Your Shadow,

Adrienne

P.S. I promise to fill your shoes and to "STAY SWEET" (smile) in every way I can.

Mommie, I wish every man and women could have had a mother like our mommy. God blessed our family with the best mother, God could give any family. I love you. Harlan O.

What my Grandmother meant to me I can't even explain in words on paper. She was like no other, just a classy and sweet lady. If one word could describe my grandmother it would be "Beautiful". I miss her and she going to be in my heart and thoughts everyday.

Mark Jr.

Yesterday is already a dream and tomorrow is only a vision but today well lived makes every yesterday a dream of happiness and every tomorrow a vision of hope.

Love always, Frances

I'll always love you Marie. Frances H.



My Mother
The greatest woman of all
"I'll always love my Momma"
Love You Ma,
Landon



Grandmother, you were intelligent, strong and beautiful.
You were a wife, a mother, sister, aunt, cousin, grandmother
sister-in-law, my very bestfriend. I love you. I miss you.
Your Grandson, Mario

— *Pallbearers* —

Amvet Post No. 5



*God saw the road was getting rough,
The hills were hard to climb.*

*He gently closed those lovely eyes
And whispered, "Peace be thine."*

*The weary hours, the days of pain
The sleepless nights are passed*

*This ever-patient, worn-out frame
Has found sweet rest at last.*

— Submitted by the
Norwood Family



*Special thanks to Netta and Nelson
for their help during
his illness.*

— The Norwood Family

In Loving Memory
of



Casterwell Homer Norwood

September 30, 1917

September 13, 1994

September 17, 1994
9:30 a.m.

DURHAM MEM. A.M.E. ZION CHURCH
174 Eagle Street
Buffalo, New York

Rev. Stewart, Officiating

— *Obituary* —

Casterwell Homer Norwood ended his earthly life at his home on Tuesday, September 13, 1994. At an early age he joined St. Luke A.M.E. Church.

Casterwell was born in Calhoun Falls, South Carolina to the late Homer and Eliza Norwood. His family moved to Buffalo where Cass, as he was known to all, attended school no. 75 and Boy's Vocational. Upon graduation, Cass joined the Armed Forces. After the Armed Forces he was employed by General Motors until his retirement of 30 years.

He was a good union member of Local 424 and also a member of Amvets Post No. 5.

Leaving to cherish his memory: two daughters: Loretta Stiger of Detroit, Michigan (son-in-law Charles Stiger) and Denise Norwood; one son, Gregory of Lackawanna, New York; two grandsons: Adam Stiger and Ryan Norwood; one sister, Eliza Arnold of Atlanta, Georgia (brother-in-law Frank Arnold); one uncle, James Norwood of Detroit, Michigan; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

— *Order of Service* —

Prayer

Hymn Mr. Nelson

Scripture Darryl Smith

Hymn Mr. Nelson

Acknowledgments of

Condolences Darryl Smith

Silent Reading of Obituary

Eulogy Rev. J. Stewart

— *Arrangements* —

PROVIDENCE MEMORIAL CHAPEL

1275 Sycamore St.

Buffalo, New York 14211

— *Interment* —

Ridge Lawn Cemetery